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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: Rainer OEHL, Roland WILMER, Markus BERGER, Klaus BINDERApplication No./Patent No.: 10/518,932 Filed/Issue Date: 16 February 2005Entitled: Air Supply System for a Motor Vehicle

ContiTech Luftfedersysteme GmbH, a Corporation  
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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

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Whereas, We, RAINER OEHL of Speicherwinkel 20, 30938 Grossburgwedel, Federal Republic of Germany, ROLAND WILMER of Lise-Meitner-Weg 28, 30855 Langenhagen, Federal Republic of Germany, MARKUS BERGER of Müllinger Strasse 5, 31319 Sehnde, Federal Republic of Germany, and KLAUS BINDER of Hindemithweg 8a, 31157 Sarstedt, Federal Republic of Germany, have invented certain new and useful improvements in Arrangement and Method for the Continuous Production of Tube-Shaped Structures Reinforced with Strengthening Support, the specification of which was filed as PCT international application number PCT/DE 2003/001561 on May 14, 2003, and for which the Declaration for the application for United States Letters Patent has been executed on even date herewith, (said application having Attorney Docket No. 202-055); and,

Whereas, CONTITECH LUFTFEDERSYSTEME GMBH, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany, having its principal office at Vahrenwalder Strasse 9, 30165 Hannover, Federal Republic of Germany (hereinafter referred to as CONTITECH), is desirous of obtaining Letters Patent for said invention in the United States;

Now, therefore, we hereby confirm that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we have transferred unto said CONTITECH, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, the full and exclusive right to said invention in the United States and have agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto said CONTITECH, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said application including all priority rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property associated therewith and the full and exclusive right to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States on said application.

We agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors and administrators to communicate to said CONTITECH, its successors,

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